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### Rocking the Boat.

By EUTH CAMERON.



EUTH CAMERON

"Well, I'm thankful to say, I'm not so timid about germs. My carcass isn't quite so valuable to me as all that," said my neighbour.

The "timidity" to which he referred was displayed by two friends of ours who had gotten off a street car because they had heard someone sneezing on it, and had walked home the rest of the way.

You notice I put quotes about timidity. That is that I may leave no doubt that the use of the word was my neighbour's, not mine. The word I would have used would have been "commonsense."

But People Know What Sort of a Mat He Is.

My neighbour's sneer. "My carcass isn't quite so valuable to me as all that," is a common one. And an easy one. And one that shows him up to thinking people in a far different light from the one he intends to paint himself in.

Only a fool thinks that in this present crisis, one can live to oneself alone. Not to do everything with in reason to avoid catching the disease that has already killed as many as fell in this terrible war, is to be absolutely selfish.

You Are Not The Only Sufferer.

Suppose you fall sick are you the only sufferer? Indeed, no, either some member of your family must take care of you, running inevitable risk of contagion (have you not noticed how many times it was the member of the family who had taken care of someone else and gotten all tired out, who died of the plague after the original patient had recovered?) or a nurse must be drawn from the too small supply. The doctor, already working night and day, must find time for one more call. And since every person coming down with the influenza is a potential spreader of the disease, you may be responsible for the illness or death of some delicate person who sat beside you in the car.

Be Reasonable But Not Panicky.

Of course, it is always a big question where reasonable precautions stop, and where panic begins. If you

must go to work you must, and if you can't walk you will have to ride. But to go unnecessarily where there will be crowds, to stay unnecessarily in the proximity of a sneezing person, to let yourself get needlessly tired, or to be careless about keeping your system cleared out,—is to fall to do your duty to the community as well as to yourself.

To expose yourself for the sake of nursing or otherwise helping the sick is one thing. To do it carelessly is a spirit of bravado is quite another. We admire the man who risks his life to save a drowning man. We don't admire the man who gets up in a crowded boat and demonstrates his own indifference to death or a ducking by rocking the boat.

### No Ray of Hope.

Colonel Henry Watterson, the veteran editor of the St. Louis Courier-Journal, contributes an article to the New York Herald, in which he roundly condemns the Prohibition amendment to the constitution. In conclusion he hands out this warning to his fellow-countrymen:

"Have a care! I give it you straight! There are no flies on this writing. I claim to be the only son of the seventh daughter of the seventh son, in a straight line from Brian Boru, the Scottish prophet—or was he Irish—and I know everything that has ever been or ever will be, and I tell you—confidentially, of course—that the world is on its last legs, that, having gone into collapse and eclipse twice already, it is headed for a third descent into the vortex that yawns before it; the process being as simple and easy as falling off a log; Woodrow to get back home with his gospel of sweetness and light; Marconi, with his wireless to get in touch with Mars; some fool to explode from the top of the Washington monument a bomb which will stifle the universe and destroy all living things, including the fantastical profiteers of Miami and the horsey girls over at Palm Beach. I am not pessimistic. Dear me, no, but I am neither blind nor deaf, and I refuse to be dumb. Even as it is, the world upside down; England in ferment, Germany in flames; Florida and Hell-for-Sartin given over to the Bolsheviki of Prohibition, where shall we look for a ray of hope?"

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### CHURCH HISTORY LECTURE.

In spite of the unfavorable weather conditions, a fairly good gathering was present at the Synod Hall last night to hear the lecture on "Leading Events in the Reformation." In the unavoidable absence of Sir Joseph Outbridge, the Rev. J. Brinton acted as chairman as well as lecturer. At the opening of the lecture reference was made to the dissolution of the monasteries, and it was clearly pointed out that the property now in the use of the Church of England was not originally of Roman Catholic foundation, as is sometimes stated, but that the National Church long before the Bishop of Rome had obtained supremacy over the other churches, and that the church in her development of the episcopate and the foundation of schools and colleges. Leaving the monasteries had come far enough and on to tell of the numerous translations of the Bible into the mother tongue. Mention was made of the work of Tyndale, Coverdale and Cranmer, and due honor was paid their respective labors. The development of the episcopate was next dealt with, detailed accounts being given of how the abbey of Chester, Oxford and Peterborough became the cathedrals for the respective dioceses. At the close of Henry's reign there were two distinct parties in the land, one favoring further reform and led by Cranmer, the other believing that the Reformation had gone far enough and led by Gardiner, Bishop of Winchester. The accession of Mary saw the overthrow of match that had been accomplished in the way of reform. But her reign was of short duration, and her successor, Elizabeth, continued the work of the English Reformation from where it had terminated at the death of Henry. Lady Jane Grey, the Babington conspiracy, the defeat of the Spanish Armada were all given a prominent place in the lecture, which was brought to a close with the words of Richard Hooper that at the close of the 16th century, "there is not any man of the Church of England, but the same man is also a member of the Commonwealth; nor any man a member of the Commonwealth which is not also of the Church of England."

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BIBLE SOCIETY MEETING.—The Bible Society will meet to-morrow evening in the Methodist College Hall.



Edgar A. Guest

### THE PURSUIT OF HAPPINESS.

It isn't in the things you own Which you must keep and use alone; It isn't in the goals you claim, Nor is it in a selfish fame; It can't be found upon a shelf; You cannot seek for joy itself And separate it from the things Which life to every mortal brings.

No man can properly express Just what is human happiness. Had you the wealth of every mine, And every gift and talent fine Of all the sages wise and gray, You could not give one single day Alone to seek for happiness his goal, With any hope of real success.

Who longs for happiness must learn That it is sought by honest means— Not by a selfish-seeking way. But by his toil from day to day. It comes from duty bravely done, From struggles hard and carrying on, From standing firm and being true; It comes from everything men do.

No man can happy be, unless He helps another in distress. There is no single road to bliss; Who seeks for it, the way will miss. Who makes his happiness his goal, Will always have a troubled soul. Who would be happy first must plan To bear the burdens of a man.

### Unfair Competition.

Editor Evening Telegram. Dear Sir:—One would not expect to find a large concern like the Dominion Iron and Steel Co. engaged in the fisheries of this country, but there it is. Last fall they had several of the men from their plant at Port au Port catching herring here and their agent at that place would come down every now and again to look after them. The fisheries are certainly open to every one, but considering the concessions and privileges that have been granted this Canadian Corporation by the Government of this country, it looks very small to see it competing with our fishermen in their own special line of work.

### FISHERMAN.

Day of Islands, Feb. 10, 1919.

Yours truly,

### Nfld. Cot Fund.

Sir William Horwood begs to acknowledge receipt of \$88.65 towards the Nfld. Cot Fund, from Elisha Button, Esq., J.P., collected as follows: New Melbourne, by James Goodwin, Sr., Abram Goodwin, Parkins Harris . . . \$25.85 Pretoria L.O.L., per A. Goodwin, W.M. . . . 5.00 Whales Brook, by Stephen Rowe, James Hopkins . . . 7.70 Brownsdale, by Heman Bryant, Henry Strong . . . 21.00 Sibley's Cove, by Thos. Sparkes 12.80 Lead Cove, by Zachariah Button 16.20 Total . . . . . \$88.65

### CONNECT WITH GLENCOE.

Passengers who leave St. John's by the 8.45 train to-morrow morning, will connect with the Glencoe at Etacientia for western points. The Glencoe was to have come on to St. John's but with heavy-ice around the Southern Shore this arrangement has been cancelled.

### MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DISTEMPER.

### Milady's Boudoir.

#### LEARN TO SAVE YOURSELF.

Women who remain in town the greater part of the summer often find themselves almost exhausted at the end of that time, particularly when they have all their own work to do.

She is in constant motion—sweeping, dusting, making beds, cooking, and far worse washing and ironing. Almost all of the housewife's tasks are heating in nature, and when the temperature is already high it is no wonder that at the close of the day she is practically exhausted.

Learn to save yourself as much as possible, housewives, if you do not want to break down before the summer is over. There are many ways that you can save yourself. For example the greatest heat of the day is between noon and three o'clock. The coolest is between five and eight in the morning. Why not make out a schedule that will bring the heaviest work when it is cool and will leave the hottest hours for rest.

This will mean early rising, but you can make up for lost sleep in the middle of the day. If you arise at five and do your heavy sweeping, ironing, washing, etc., before breakfast, you will be able to rest at the hottest part of the day. After the breakfast dishes are done do your marketing, then on your return make up the beds and twelve o'clock should find you practically through for the day.

After lunch strip off, have a cold sponge or shower, and lie down until four. Then you can dress in fresh clothes, finish preparing your dinner and will be already to greet your husband when he returns. If you will only save yourself in this way you will be rested and refreshed at night instead of exhausted.

### FACIAL EVIDENCE.

All pupil emotions leave their trace, quite legible, upon your face. As I go weaving down the street, I size up every man I meet; his face instructs me, not his dress; and seldom do I miss my guess. "That man," I say, "is prone to growl; he looks as gloomy as an owl; he has no checkrain on his bile; it takes an effort when he'd smile. His face is like a printed leaf, and all the contents speak of grief. And yonder gent of middle age gives way to foolish spells of rage. His temper is a sudden thing that knows no curb or leading string, and it has made him look quite old ere half his nervous days are told. No doubt at home he is a bear and holds a reign of terror there, though on the street he tries to look as cheerful as a babbling brook. I do not want him for a friend, and so I'll dodge him till the end. That pompour skate who's coming now thinks there's a halo on his brow. His face expresses mist pride, but recent is his head inside. No man has any right to be as proud as this old scout I see, unless he has accomplished more than living till he's reached three score." And thus I'm musing as I chase; I read a record in each face, and 'en the victims must confess it's seldom that I miss my guess.



WALT MASON

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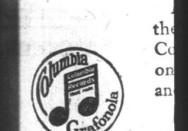
### PERIOUS SITUATION.

LONDON, Feb. 24. The Premier Lloyd George said today that it might be necessary to grant the miners a most serious sort of concession, a burden so serious that it might have the effect of throwing scores of thousands out of employment. It might be, said the Premier, that the figures the Government were inaccurate and the reason for the inquiry. The Premier would be appointed. The Premier would cover the question of hours of work, the distribution and distribution of the general organization of the industry, social conditions, other matters. Mr. Justice of the King's Bench Division reported by March 31. While the Premier said that a strike of days under the present conditions would cause a breakdown of the coal, iron, steel, machine-making, and other industries, the Premier would have to feed the country with such fuel and supplies as it was possible to get. The Premier said that the composition of the cabinet was not yet determined until after the meeting of the cabinet on Wednesday to decide what part in the inquiry the Premier should take. The Premier said that the country was in a most serious turning point and the Government had to make the concessions asked for by the miners without the closest examination.

### ING AHEAD WITH BUSIN

PARIS, Feb. 24. The atmosphere around the Peace Conference has changed remarkably in the last few days. The deliberations which marked the beginning of the conference have been a green way and even the conservative delegates are being carried forward at a great pace. The peace has been general. The French Foreign Minister was reflected to-day by Stephen Pichon, the French Foreign Minister, in his regular Sunday talk with newspaper correspondents. He was discussing the probability of the treaty of peace will be signed and work would be hastened.

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